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**RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 11, 2007, Applicants request reconsideration and allowance of the above-identified patent application in view of the following Remarks.

The pending claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.